

Executive Proclamation

State of South Dakota

Office of the Governor

Whereas, "I Love Life," one of radio broadcasting's longest running shows, is celebrating its 37th anniversary, and since the program began airing on KXRB Radio in Sioux Falls, "I Love Life" has featured more than 1,600 guests who have shared inspirational stories of what it takes to turn adversity into victory; and,

Whereas, Aside from the "I Love Life" radio shows, the program's creator and host, Edward R. Murrow and George Foster Peabody Honoree Jerry Dahmen, News Director of Townsquare Media's KXRB in Sioux Falls, has written two best-selling books titled "I Love Life In Spite Of It All" and "I Love Life: The Real Survivors 50 Stories of Hope, Inspiration and Faith." Jerry has also produced 5 "I Love Life" CDs; and,

Whereas, "I Love Life" has also assisted community groups via donations from book/CD sales, including the Salvation Army; and,

Whereas, "I Love Life" has been featured on a number of local and national television programs, including Oprah, the 700 Club, and Nashville Now:

Now, Therefore, I, Dennis Daugaard, Governor of the state of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim June 2017 as

I LOVE LIFE MONTH

in South Dakota.



In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the state of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Sixteenth Day of May in the Year of Our Lord, Two Thousand and Seventeen.

Dennis Daugaard
Dennis Daugaard, Governor

Attest:

Shantel Krebs
Shantel Krebs, Secretary of State